small scale sector in the G.D.P. is not separately available.

(b) The estimated employment figures in the small scale sector (both registered and unregistered) and in the medium and large scale sector as per ASI data for the year 1987-88 are given below:—

Employment in small scale and medium and large scale sector for 1987-88.

Sector	Employment (lakh numbers)
Small Scale (registered and unregistered) . . .	107.00*
Large and Medium	48.25@

*Estimated figure for registered and unregistered small scale units coming under the purview of Small Industries Development Organisation (SIDO) as per definition of small scale sector existed in 1987-88, i.e. units having an investment in plant and machinery upto Rs. 35 lakhs.

@Derived figure as per Annual Survey of Industries (ASI) covering factories employing 10 or more workers with power and 20 or more workers without power in respect of units having investment in plant and machinery of more than Rs. 35 lakhs.

Corruption charges against Chairman, BBUNL

1219. SHRI RAM AWADHESH SINGH : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Chairman of Bharat Bhari Udyog Nigam Limited has acquired wealth disproportionate to his known sources income within the last four years, after takingover the Chairmanship at this Nigam, at the cost of public exchequers in purchase of raw materials and disposing of scraps;

(b) what are the details of the contractors who were awarded jobs during his chairmanship; and

(c) whether Government propose to set up an enquiry for assessing his and his nearest relatives' property; if so, by when and if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI P. K. THUNGON): (a) Government have no knowledge that the Chairman of Bharat Bhari Udyog Nigam Limited (BBUNL) has acquired assets disproportionate to his known sources of income within the last four years after takingover the chairmanship of BBUNL.

(b) The subsidiary companies of BBUNL are totally independent in the purchase matters and there is no role of either the holding company, viz. Bharat Bhari Udyog Nigam Limited, or its Chairman.

(c) Does not arise in view of position explained above in respect of part (a) of the Question.

Signing of MOU with Israel Export Institute

1220. DR. SANJAYA SINH : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether Confederation of Indian Industry has recently signed a MOU with the Israel Export Institute; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI P.J. KURIEN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The basic objectives of this MOU are to exchange information/delegations/undertake/studies as well as support activities such as seminars, courses and conferences in India and in Israel so as to promote cooperation between the two organisations.

Manufacturing of new 800 cc Car for export by Maruti Udyog Limited

1221. SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is fact that Maruti Udyog Limited is planning to manufacture new 800 cc Car for export;

(b) if so, whether it would be available to Indian consumer ; and

(c) what are the deails of Car exports by Maruti Udyog Limited and other Car manufacturers, if any, during the last three years ?